E Yuly

Yuly, Toni. Night Owl.

A baby owl flies though the night, listening to the different sounds as he tries to find Mommy Owl. (Also available as a board book)

E H Ahuli'i (Board Book)

Ahuli'i, Gabrielle. Pele Finds a Home.

A simplified version of the Hawaiian goddess Pele's search for a home across the Hawaiian islands. Look for other books in the Hawaiian Legends for Little Ones series.

E H Braffet (Board Book)

Braffet, Holly. All Pau with Diapers.

A helpful book to use as an introduction to potty training with toddlers.

E H Lozano

Lozano, Christin. Island Toes.

A delightfully colorful rhyming tale about the types of feet and toes one can encounter growing up in an island setting.

E H Vukovich

Vukovich, Kimberly. **Hush Little Keiki.** In this island version of the classic song, a mother

sings to her little one about humpback whales, geckos, and papaya treats.

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This Little Piggy: Lap Songs, Finger Plays, Clapping Games, and Pantomime Rhymes.

Edited by Jane Yolen. Nursery rhymes, songs, and finger plays are presented with simple instructions for parents to play with their babies and toddlers. An accompanying CD includes 13 songs from the text.



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Good Books to Share with Infants and Toddlers

E Adler

Adler, Victoria. All of Baby, Nose to Toes.

Baby's eyes, nose, ears, tummy, legs, and ten little toes get discovered in this cheerful picture book aimed at the youngest audience and their loved ones. (Also available as a board book)

E Barton

Barton, Byron. My House.

A cat named Jim describes his favorite places inside and outside his house. Illustrated with bright, high contrast colors, this book is a great fit for the very young.

E Bee

Bee, William. Stanley's Store.

Young readers are invited to explore the grocery store by identifying foods, colors, and shapes, as Stanley goes about helping his friends find everything they need.

E Bijsterbosch

Bijsterbosch, Anita. Everyone is Yawning.

A lift-the-flap book with yawning animals leads to a friendly sleepy-time ending.

E Cimarusti

Cimarusti, Marie Torres. Peek-a-Moo.

In this lift-the-flap game book, readers can play peek-a-boo with a variety of familiar animals.

E Cotter

Cotter, Bill. Hello, Airplane!

Follow an airplane as it says good-bye to the ground and hello to the sky, where it flies over a town, mountains, clouds, and people.

E Cousins

Cousins, Lucy. Hooray for Birds!

In an exuberant display of colors, little ones are invited to imagine themselves as birds. With sound effects and movement vocabulary this book makes a wonderful participatory read aloud.

E Crews

Crews, Donald. Freight Train.

Presented in blocks of brilliant colors, a multihued train takes a dazzling journey before disappearing from the final page. (Also available as a board book)

E Dickson

Dickson, Irene. Blocks.

Two toddlers with different colored blocks learn the importance of sharing.

E Emberly

Emberly, Ed. Go Away, Big Green Monster!

By turning the die-cut pages, even very young children can assemble a goofy green monster's face and then make it go away again, feature by feature.

E Fleming

Fleming, Denise. **Maggie and Michael Get Dressed.** It's time to get dressed and Michael counts on his dog, Maggie, for help as he places colorful articles of clothing where they belong.

E Fox

Fox, Mem. Where is the Green Sheep?

Children are introduced to a variety of sheep while they search for the one that is missing. Delightful for toddlers and beginning readers alike. (Also available as a board book)

E Hamilton

Hamilton, K.R. Yellow Copter.

A teacher is stuck on a Ferris wheel! Who can save her? It's Yellow Copter!

E Hindley

Hindley, Judy. Baby Talk: A Book of First Words and Phrases.

Bouncy rhymes follow a baby's day at the playground, eating dinner, and having a bath while the baby shouts familiar words such as "up," "out," "all gone," and "night-night."

E Hopgood

Hopgood, Tim. Wow! Said the Owl.

A curious little owl explores the daytime world of colors for the first time. The repetitive text is excellent for participatory reading.

E Katz

Katz, Karen. Mommy Hugs.

A loving mother counts the hugs she gives her baby throughout the day. Look for the companion book Daddy Hugs. (Also available as a board book and E-book)

E McQuinn

McQuinn, Anna. Leo Can Swim.

Baby Leo loves the water, so his father takes him to a swim class with other toddlers.

E Murphy

Murphy, Mary. Say Hello Like This!

Say "Hello" to different animals with the sounds they make.

E Rebman

Rebman, Nick. Who is Happy?:

A Book About Emotions.

Using photographs of children, readers are asked to identify the child who is feeling a specific emotion.

E Sing

Sing With Me!

A compilation of thirteen favorite children's songs, such as "Wheels on the Bus," and "If You're Happy and You Know it." E-book

E Smee

Smee, Nicola. Clip-Clop.

One after the other, a group of barnyard friends climb aboard Mr. Horse for a ride, urging him to go faster and faster until they fall into a haystack and cry "Again!"

E Williams

Williams, Sue. I Went Walking.

A toddler goes walking and ends up playing with farmyard animals he meets along the way. (Also available as a board book)

E Wolff

Wolff, Ashley. Where, oh where, is Baby Bear? Baby Bear plays a game of hide-and-seek with his mama as they take an evening walk through the meadow and woods to gather food.

E Yoon

Yoon, Salina. Found.

After finding a toy rabbit in the forest. Bear tries his best to return it to its home but by the time the owner appears, Bear has become attached to Bunny. (Also available as a board book)